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BLACK HAWK

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The image is a dense collage of vintage comic book covers, primarily from the mid-20th century. The covers are arranged in a grid-like fashion, overlapping slightly. Titles visible include "Supermouse", "Startling Comics", "Jetta", "Mystery Comics", "Fantastic Tales", "Cosmo Cat", "Strange Worlds", "Daring Adventures", "Eerie", "Casper Cat", "Exciting Comics", "Famous Funnies", and "Barnyard Comics". Many covers feature cartoon characters, action scenes, and bold typography. In the center, a large purple speech bubble with a black outline contains the text "WEB COMIC UNIVERSE.COM" in white, stylized capital letters. The overall aesthetic is colorful and nostalgic, representing a collection of classic comic book art.

How I Made a Small Fortune In Spare Time!

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The TRUE STORY of William Bergstrom of Illinois



IT STARTED WHEN JIM WHITE PULLED UP IN HIS NEW CAR



Hi, Bill!
Like my new car?

How can he afford
that on the salary
he makes?



I made \$88 EXTRA this
week, thanks to this
terrific Selling Outfit!

What's in there,
Diamonds?



No, but maybe BETTER! I'm a Mason Shoe
Man in off hours. You should see how
people buy these shoes! Look,
real AIR CUSHION innersoles!

GOSH! Can I make
money that way?

Jim told me Mason sends a Selling Outfit FREE and shows how
to make MONEY. So I mailed a coupon. My wife was thrilled:



Bill! Look... a real air cushion
innersole that customers can feel!

And look at this! Over 175
different styles! Dress
shoes, sport shoes,
work shoes... from
width AAAA to EEEE

I started with friends, relatives, people where I
worked EVERYBODY wants comfortable shoes!



Just feel that cushion, Joe! Wouldn't
you like to 'Walk on Air' all day long?

Say, I'd like
those shoes.
You sure have
swell styles... my
right size, too!

Soon the Mason people sent me actual sample
shoes and sales came faster than ever!



Say, you have a larger selection
than a store!

Stores can't carry all the
sizes and widths to fit
every foot right.
Mason has 200,000
pairs on hand, so
I'm never out
of a style, size
or width!



My spare-time business grew by leaps and bounds.
It was a cinch getting repeat orders!

Hello, Mr. Jones. It's
been 2 months since
I've called on you

Come in, Mr. Bergstrom. I'm getting another pair
of Mason shoes. My wife needs a pair, too!

Never had
a shoe fit
so well



I soon had a business that brought me over
\$3,000 EXTRA a year, plus exciting prizes.

I found real security

Bill! a
new toaster!

Didn't cost a cent! Mason gave it
to me. They give away thousands
of prizes every year. I've really
made a small fortune!

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For **YOUR**
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What would YOU do with \$3,000 EXTRA income a year? Thousands
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booklet, National ads...**EVERYTHING** you need to start making **big**
money from your first hour!

If you want to give yourself a **raise** every month—with a steady-profit
repeat-order business...if you want to be **your own boss**...just rush this
coupon TODAY to Mason Shoe Mfg. Co., Dept. 247 Chippewa Falls,
Wisconsin. You'll receive your powerful **FREE SALES OUTFIT** right away!

Mr. Ned Mason, Dept. 247
Mason Shoe Mfg. Co.
Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin

You bet I want to start making a small fortune
in spare time! Rush my **FREE SELLING OUTFIT**
with everything I need to start making money
my first hour!

Name _____ Age _____

Address _____

Town _____ State _____

BLACKHAWK

BLACKHAWK

GOING BETWEEN GENOA, ITALY AND BIZERTE, NORTH AFRICA, STEAMED A VESSEL THAT WAS MORE THAN JUST A BOAT! ABOARD THE *S.S. BRUNO CAMPA* WAS A SECRET SO DREAD THAT THE FATE OF THE WESTERN WORLD HINGED ON WHETHER THE INTREPID BLACKHAWKS COULD KEEP THE VITAL INFORMATION FROM LANDING IN THE HANDS OF MOSCOW GANGSTERS! EVERY DIABOLICAL TWIST OF FATE, EVERY BACK-STABBING BOLSHIEVIST STUNT WAS USED TO BLOCK THE PATH OF THE BLACKHAWKS' DESPERATE QUEST! FROM THE SECOND THE BLACKHAWKS BOARDED THE *S.S. BRUNO CAMPA* THEY'D EMBARKED UPON A...

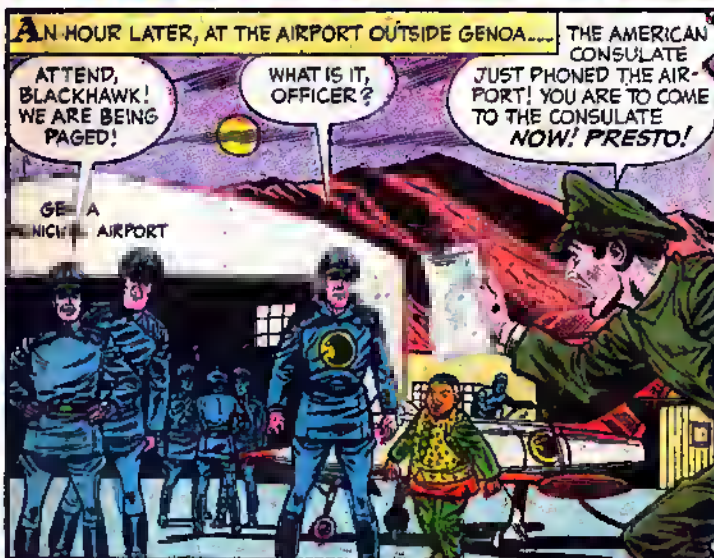
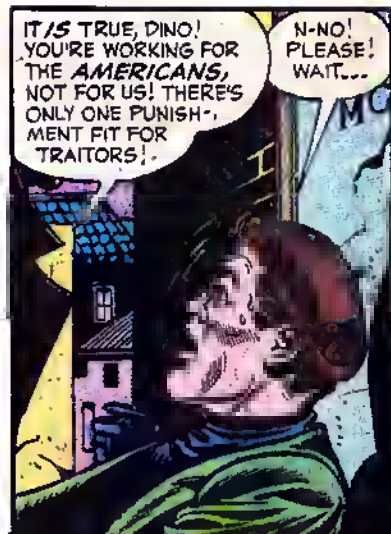
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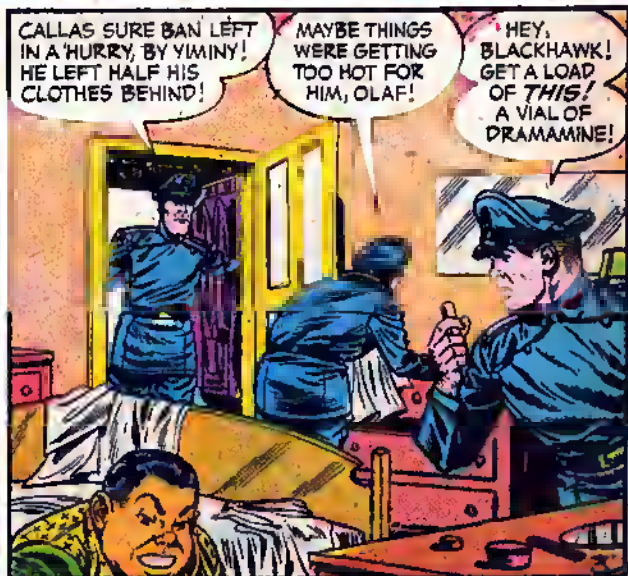
SURRENDER, BLACKHAWK, OR WE'LL WIPE OUT EVERY PERSON ON THIS BOAT!

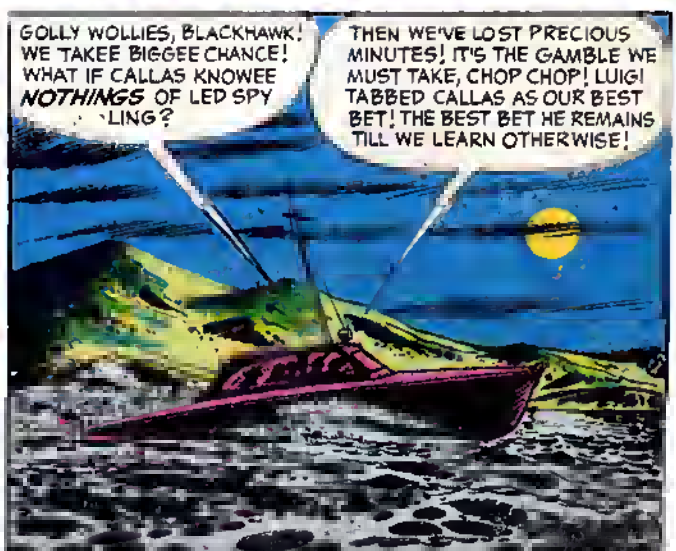
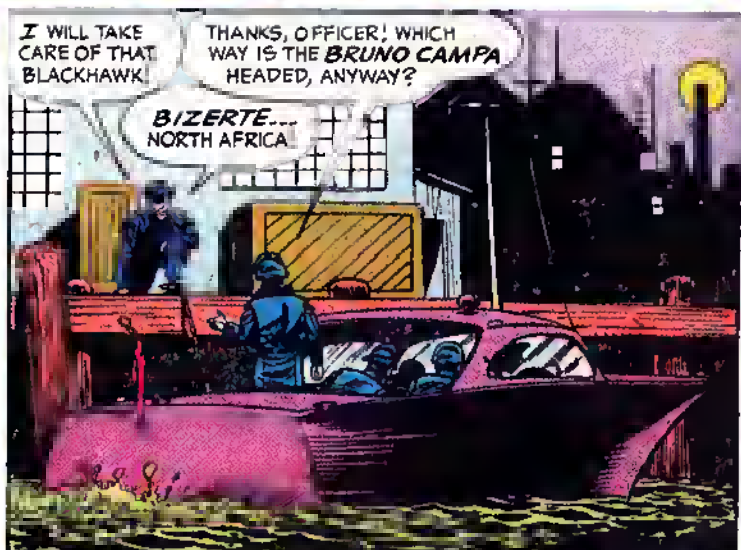
DONNERWETTER! D-DER RED SAILORS HAF DER CREW UND PASSENGERS AT DERE MERCY! VE HAF TO YIELD, BLACKHAWK!

NO, HENDRICKSON! THERE'S NO ADVANTAGE IN SURRENDER! THE REDS WOULD CARRY OUT THEIR DIRE-THREATS ANYWAY! AT THEM!

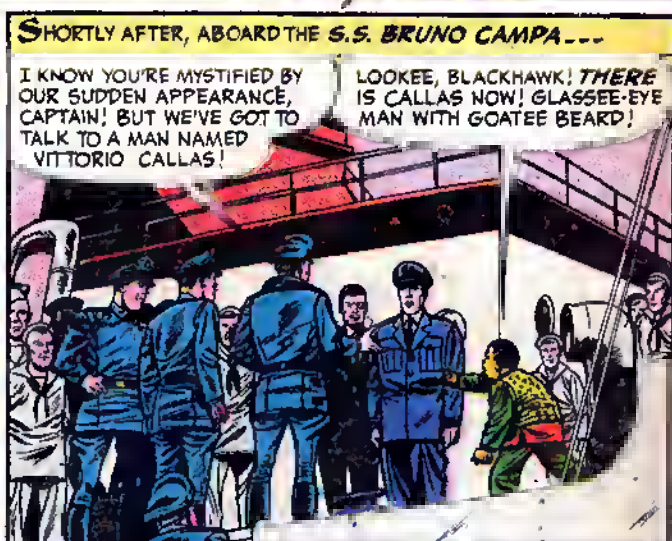
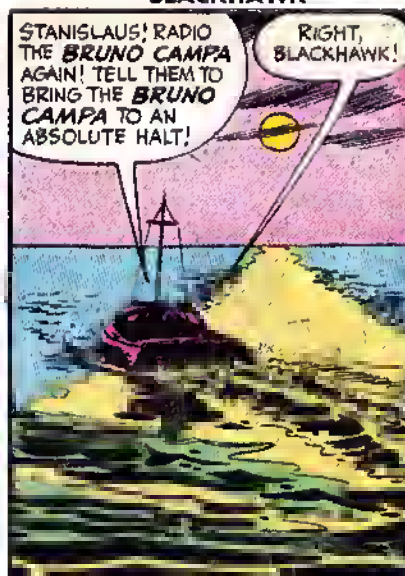




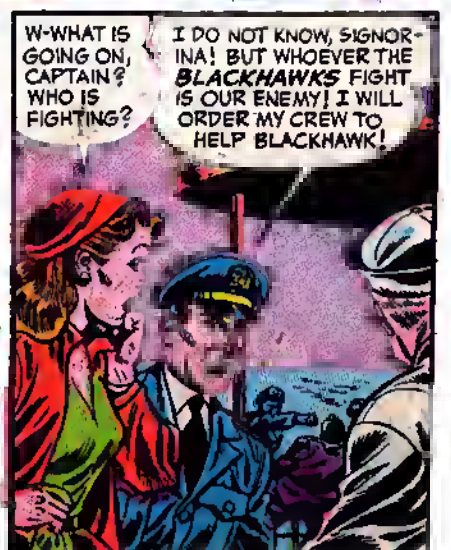
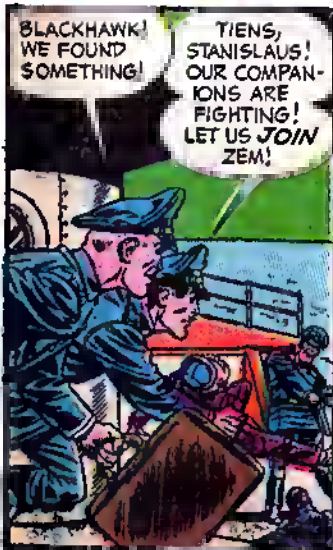




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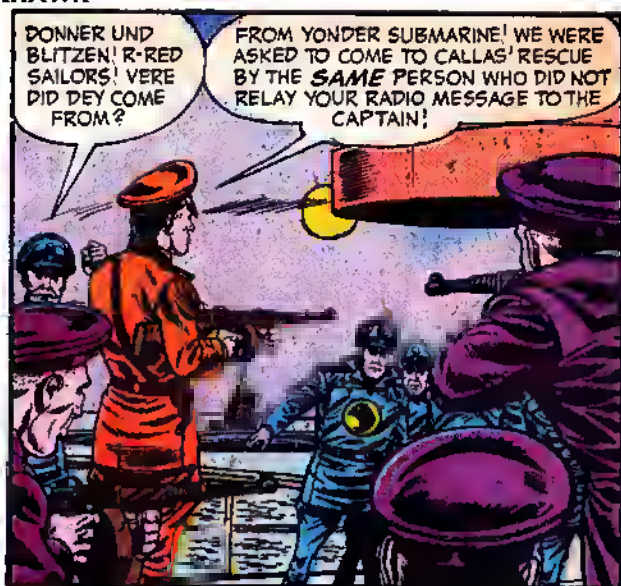
BLACKHAWK





NO, CAPTAIN! YOU WILL STAND WHERE YOU ARE AND THROW YOUR HANDS UP! MAKE ONE MOVE TO HELP THE BLACKHAWKS AND WE WILL DESTROY YOU!

R-REDS!



DONNER UND BLITZEN! R-RED SAILORS! WERE DID DEY COME FROM?

FROM YONDER SUBMARINE! WE WERE ASKED TO COME TO CALLAS' RESCUE BY THE **SAME** PERSON WHO DID NOT RELAY YOUR RADIO MESSAGE TO THE CAPTAIN!



SO THE RADIO OPERATOR IS IN CAHOOTS WITH CALLAS' GANG! THE CAPTAIN OF THE **BRUNO CAMPA** NEVER GOT OUR MESSAGE TO SLOW UP HIS SHIP!

COR-RECT! NOW SURRENDER OR THESE PEOPLE WILL DIE LIKE FLIES!



WAIT, LIEUTENANT RUKOV! THE AMERICAN SECRET AGENT, RICHARD VANCE, IS ABOARD THIS SHIP! ON ROSSI'S DEATH, HE KNEW ENOUGH TO FOLLOW ME! HE TRIED TO BREAK INTO MY ROOM TWO HOURS AGO!

SO, CALLAS! YOU'RE MORE THAN JUST A BLACK MARKETEE!



YES! I AM CHIEF OF THE RED SPY RING IN GENOA! RUKOV! ORDER THAT BIG FELLOW TO RETURN MY ATTACHE-CASE!

I CANNOT RETURN IT, BLACKHAWK!



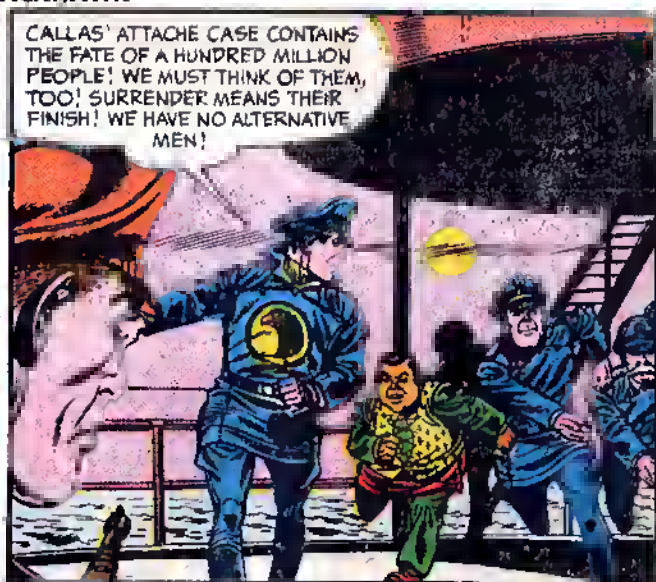
THIS CASE CONTAINS ALL THE DEFENSE SECRETS OF WESTERN EUROPE! KNOWLEDGE OF EVERY ALLIED WEAPON, BASE, MILITARY STRATEGY AND DIPLOMATIC AIM!

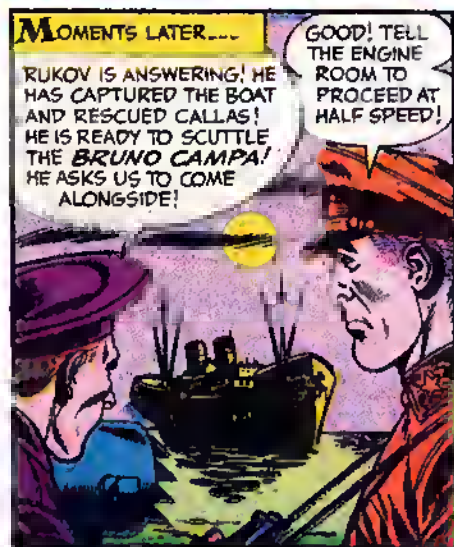
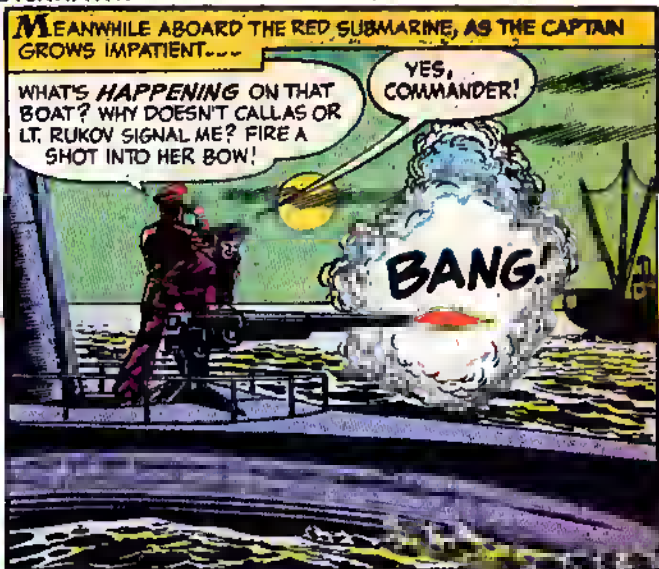
NEVERTHELESS YOU MUST RETURN IT AND RICHARD VANCE MUST REVEAL HIS IDENTITY OR EVERYBODY ON BOARD SHIP WILL BE WIPED OUT!

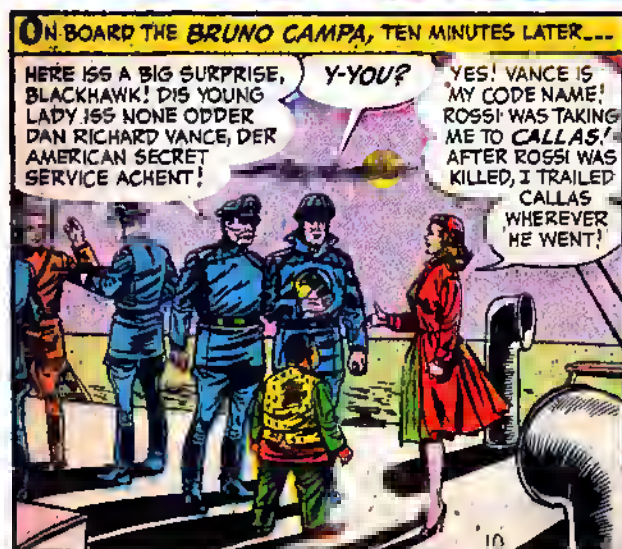
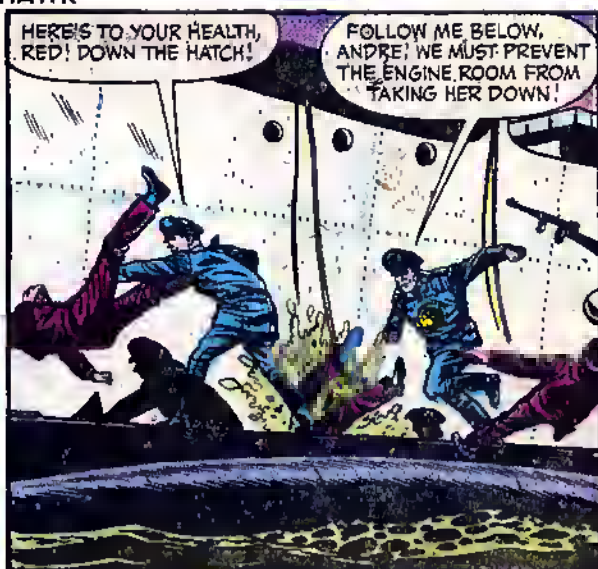


YOU'RE CHECKMATED, BLACKHAWK! SURRENDER OR PAY THE PRICE!

YIELD, BLACKHAWK! YOU CANNOT BE STUBBORN ENOUGH TO LET US PERISH!







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NO
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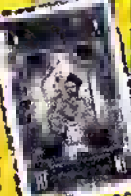
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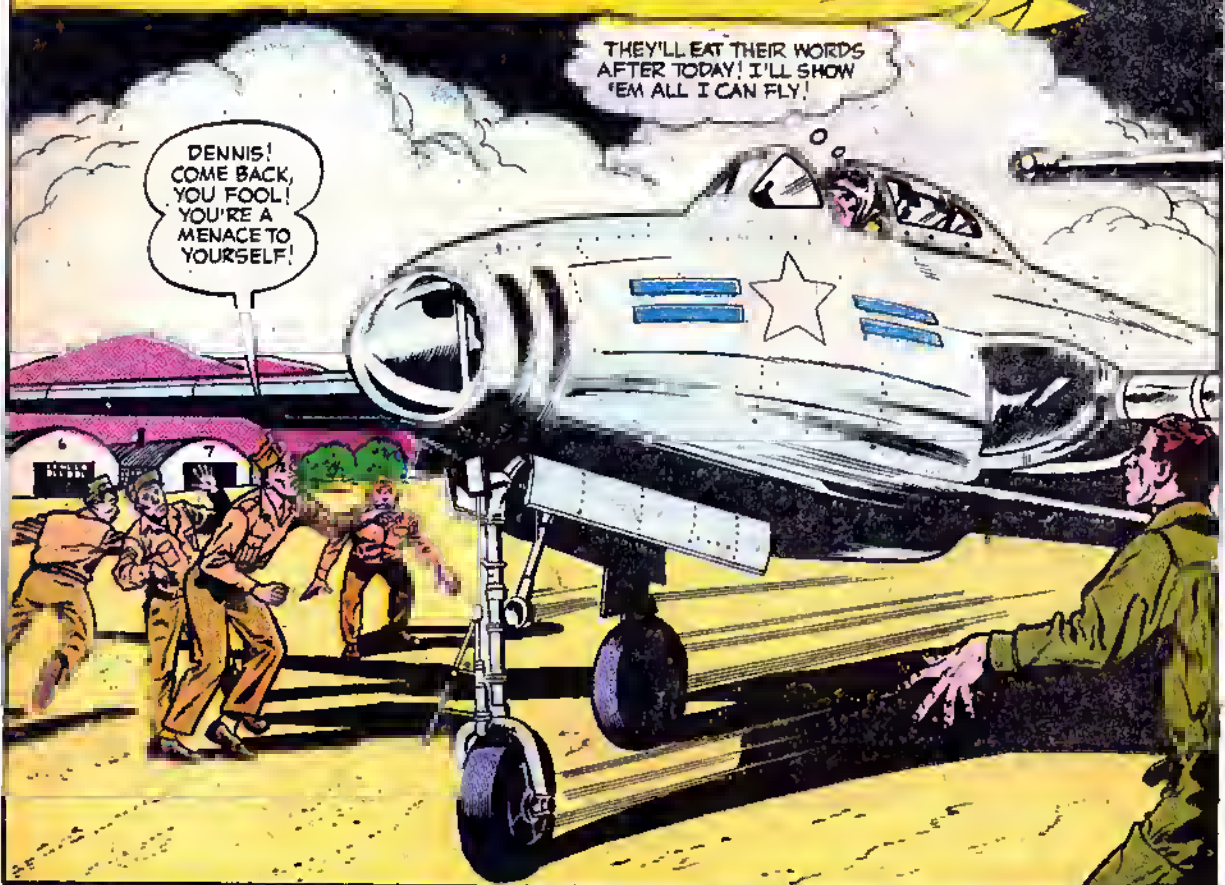
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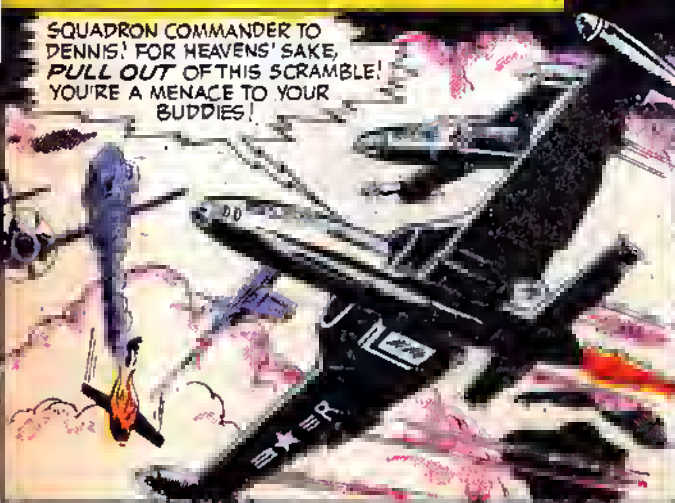
BLACKHAWK

WINGED MENACE

THEY CALLED HIM "INEPT"... AND THEY WERE GOING TO GROUND HIM FOR HIS ERRORS! BUT DENNIS DESPERATELY WANTED TO KEEP HIS WINGS! SOMEHOW HE HAD TO SHOW EVERYONE HOW **WRONG** HE WAS WHEN THEY CALLED HIM A POOR PILOT!



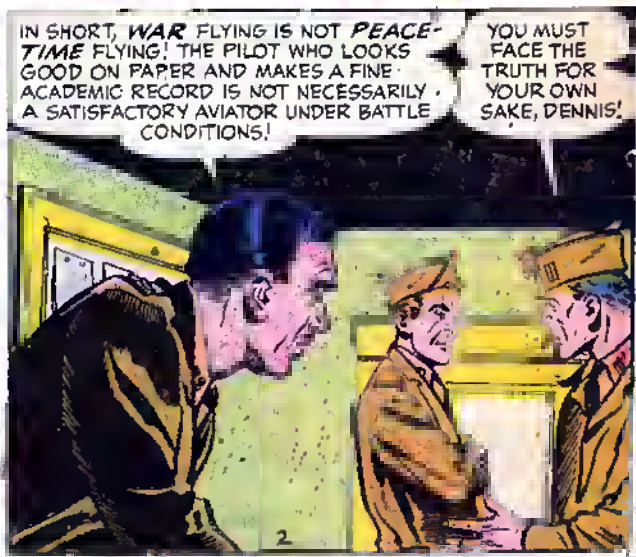
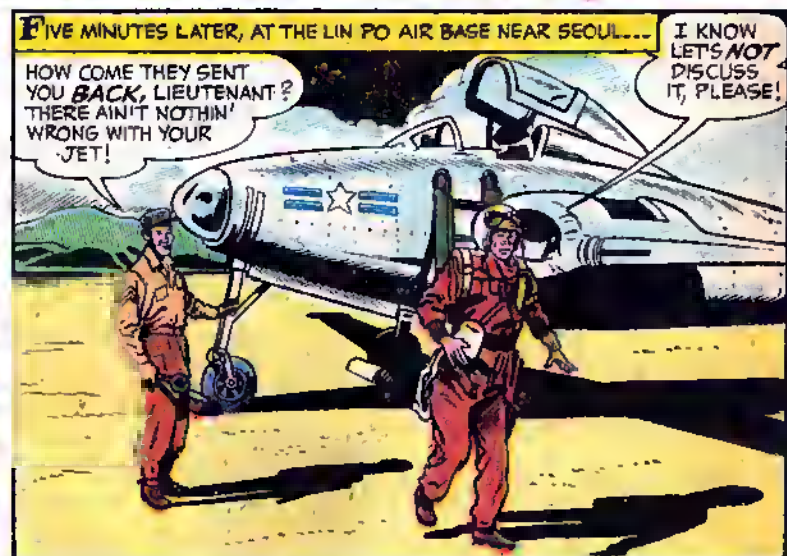
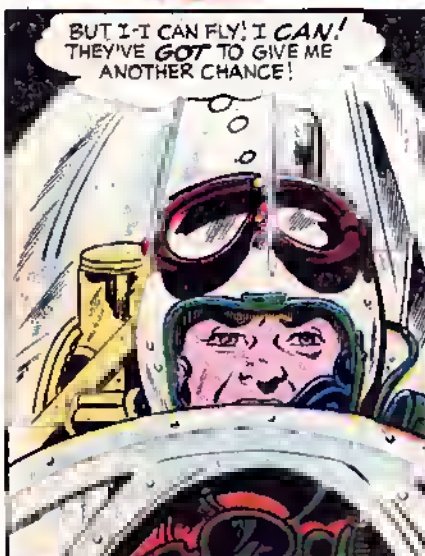
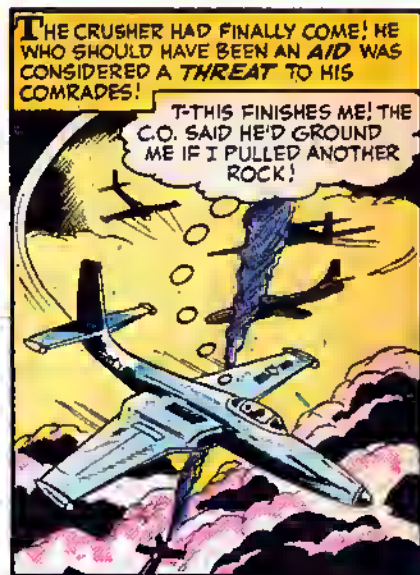
FOR A LONG TIME IT HAD BEEN COMING! BUT DENNIS NEVER EXPECTED THE BOOM TO BE LOWERED THE WAY IT WAS!

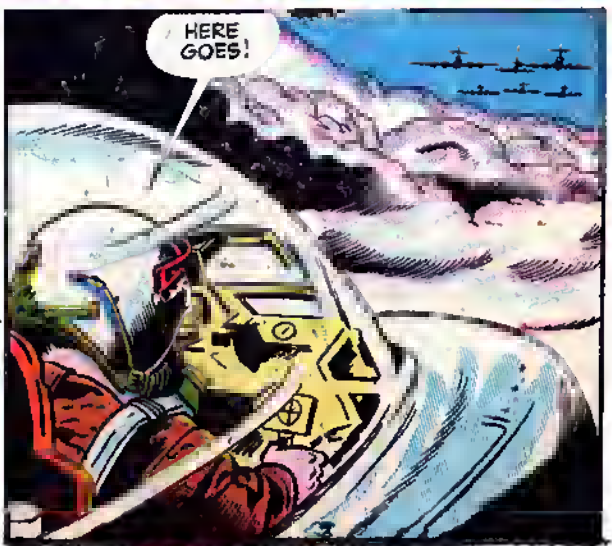
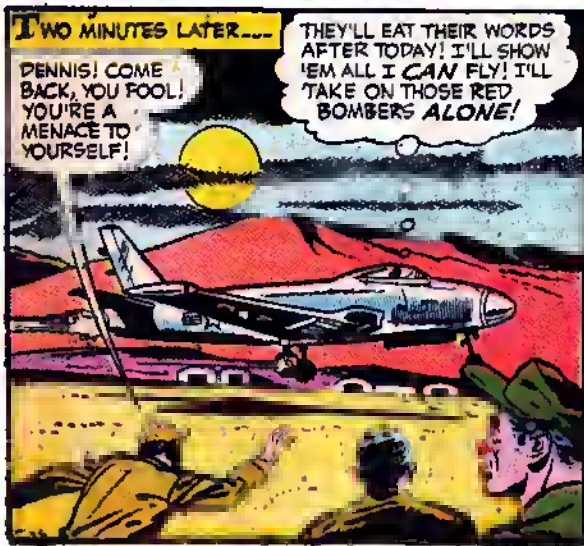
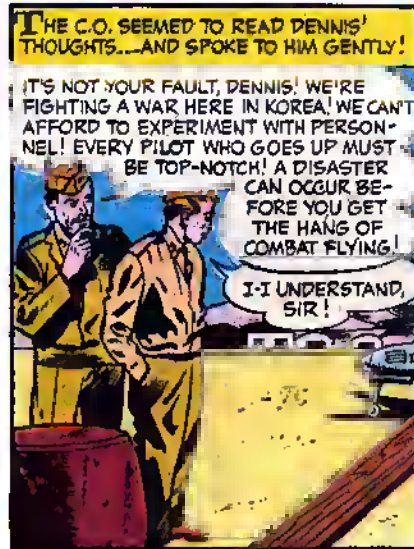


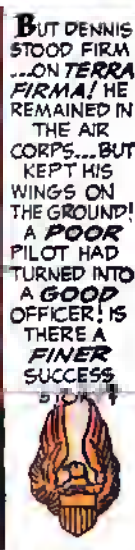
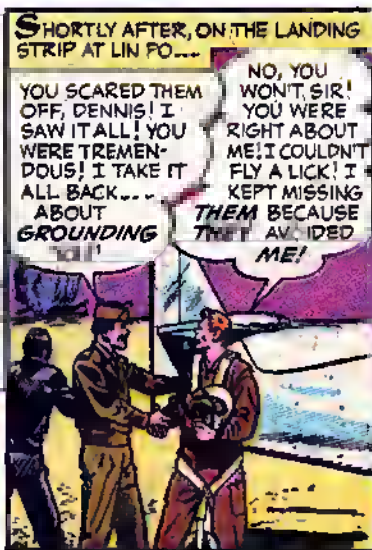
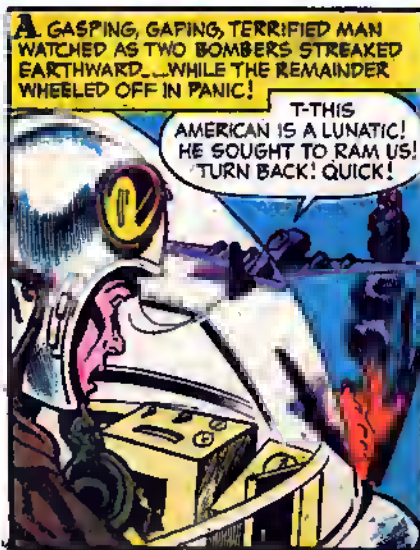
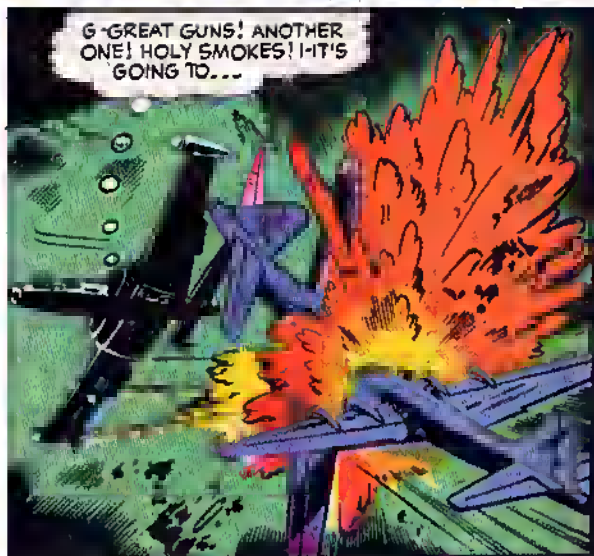
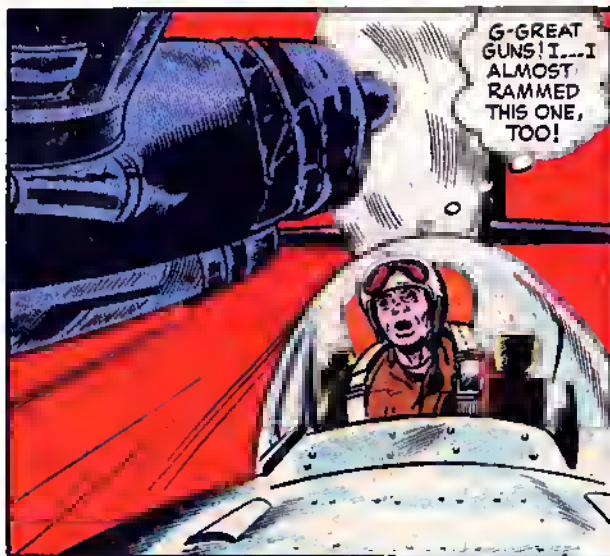
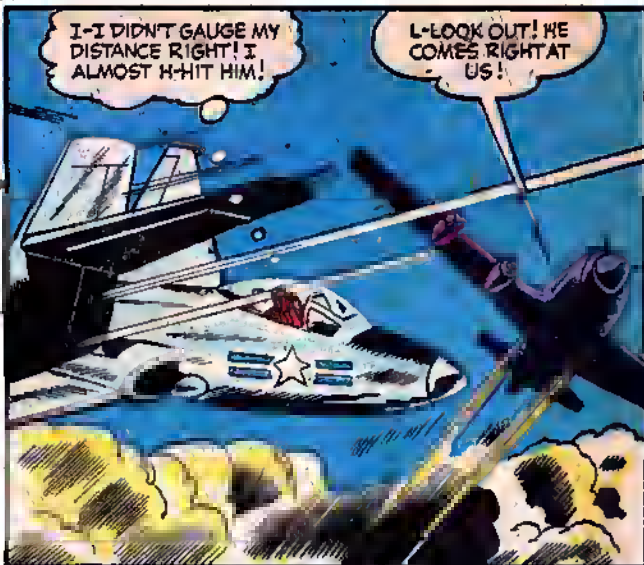
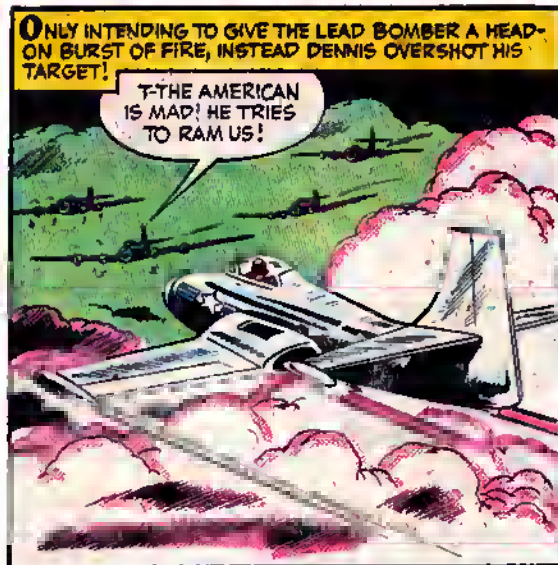
B-BUT, SIR, **WHAT**
AM I DOING WRONG?

EVERYTHING!









BLACKHAWK

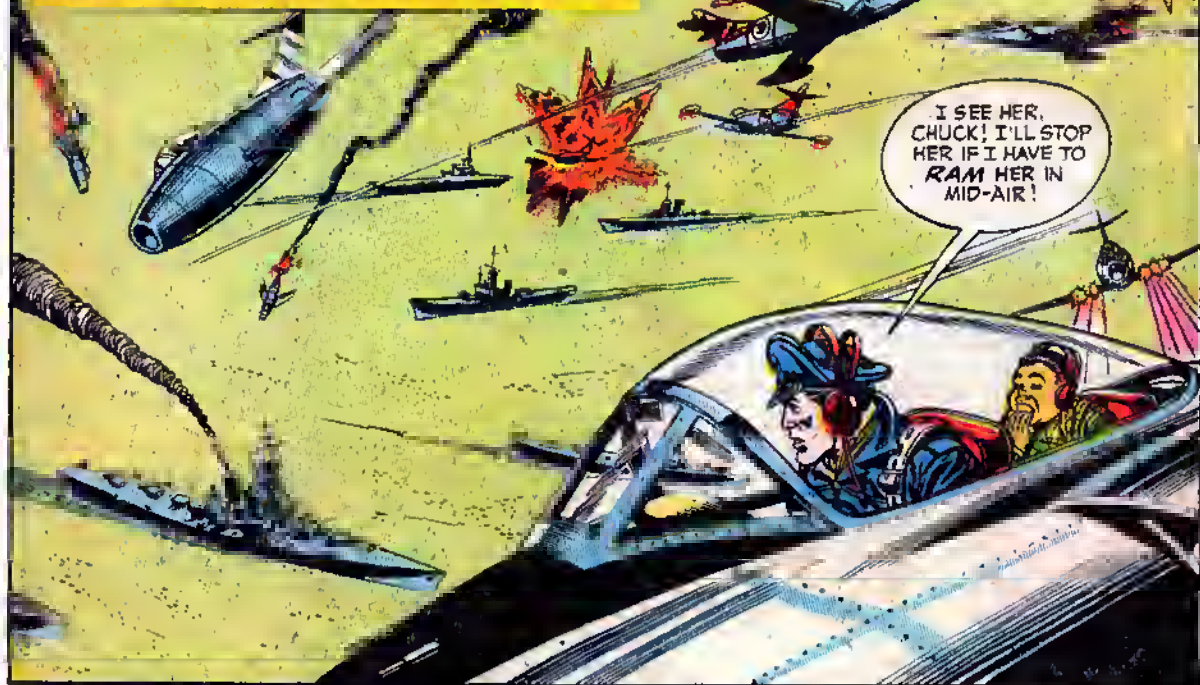
BLACKHAWK

THE REDS WERE EMBARKED UPON A SHOCKING STUNT! AT ONE MALEVOLENT STROKE, THE REDS WERE GOING TO DESTROY THE AMERICAN FLEET PROTECTING FORMOSA! MOREOVER, THEIR DIABOLICAL PLOT WOULD LEAVE THEM BLAMELESS! ONLY THE INTREPID, FEAR-SCORNING BLACKHAWKS STOOD BETWEEN THE ANNIHILATION OF AMERICAN NAVAL POWER IN ASIA AND...

THE RED KAMAKAZE TERROR

CHUCK TO BLACKHAWK!
THAT RED KAMAKAZE ON
YOUR RIGHT IS GOING
DOWN THE FLAGSHIP'S
SMOKESTACK!

I SEE HER,
CHUCK! I'LL STOP
HER IF I HAVE TO
RAM HER IN
MID-AIR!



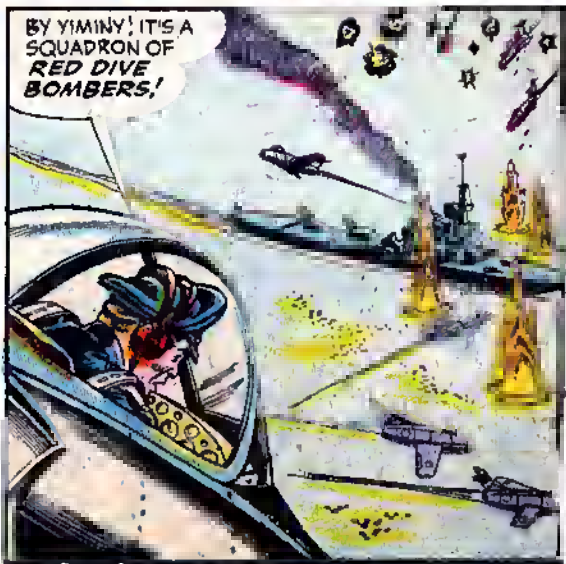
THE BLACKHAWKS ARE EN ROUTE TO TOKYO AFTER AN ASSIGNMENT IN HONG KONG! WINGING OVER THE CHINA SEA, THEY SPY AN AMERICAN BATTLE CRUISER IN DIFFICULTY...

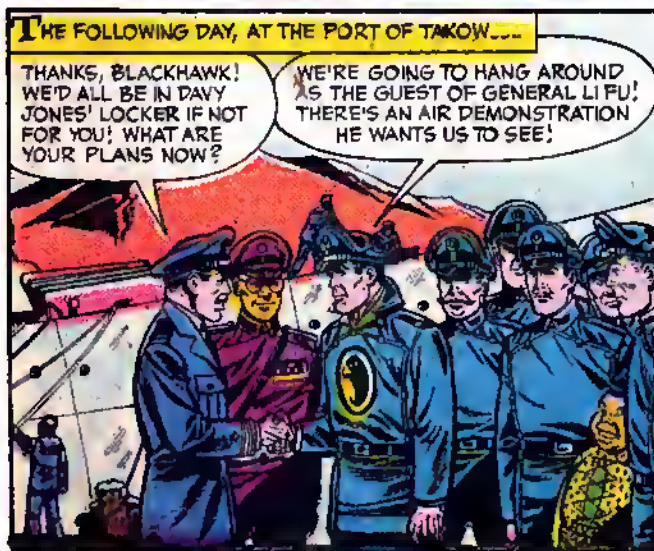
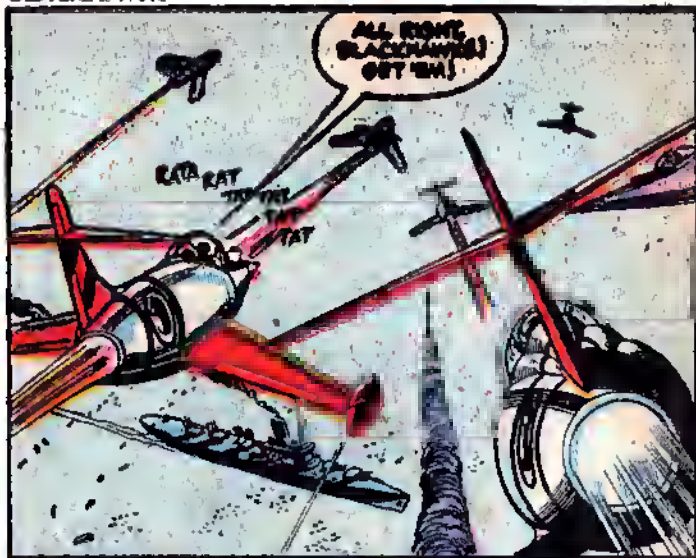
ANDRE TO BLACKHAWK! ZAT
BATTLESHIP SEEMS TO BE
UNDER ATTACK! WE SHOULD
INVESTIGATE, NON?

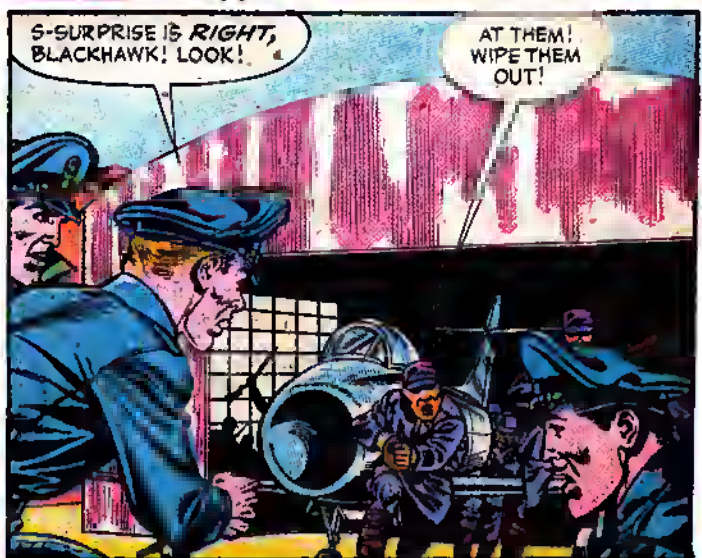
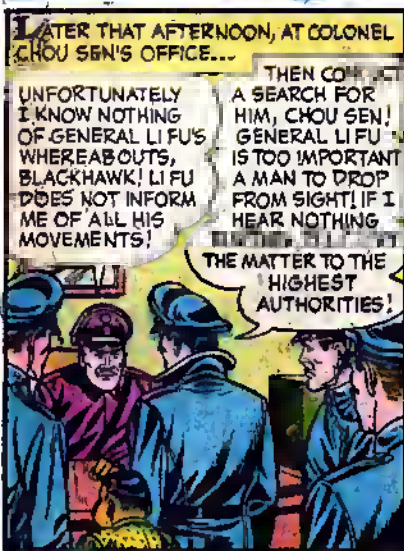
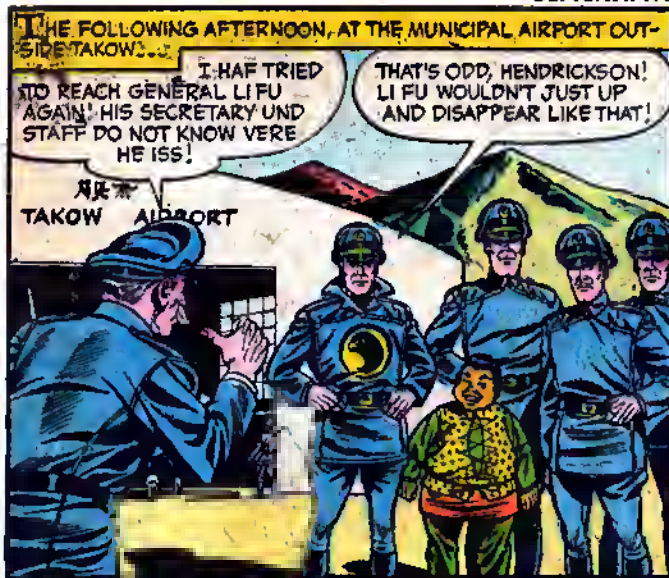
I SEE IT,
ANDRE!
LET'S GO!

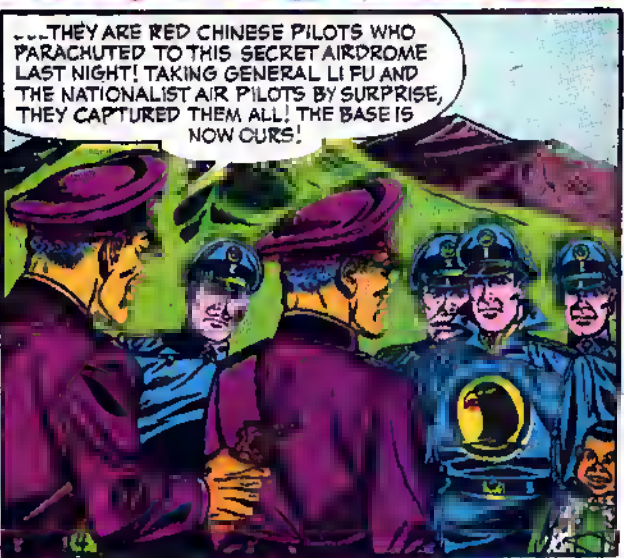
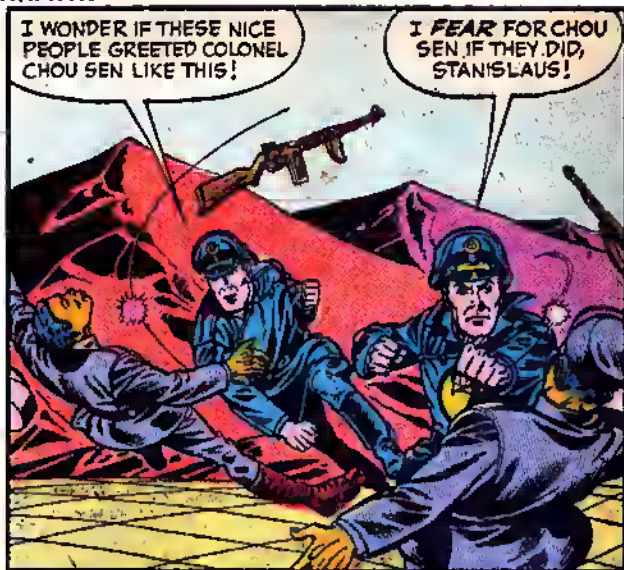


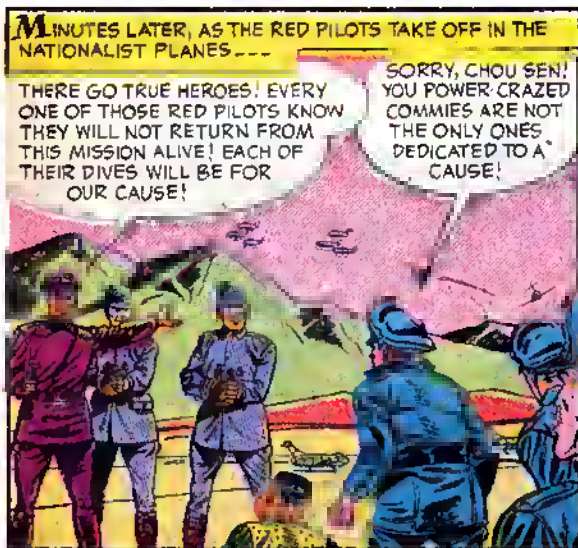
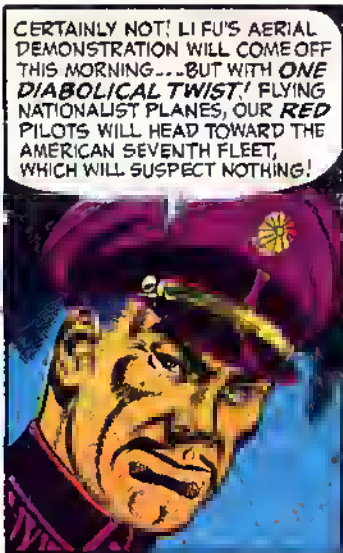
BY YIMINY! IT'S A
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RED DIVE
BOMBERS!

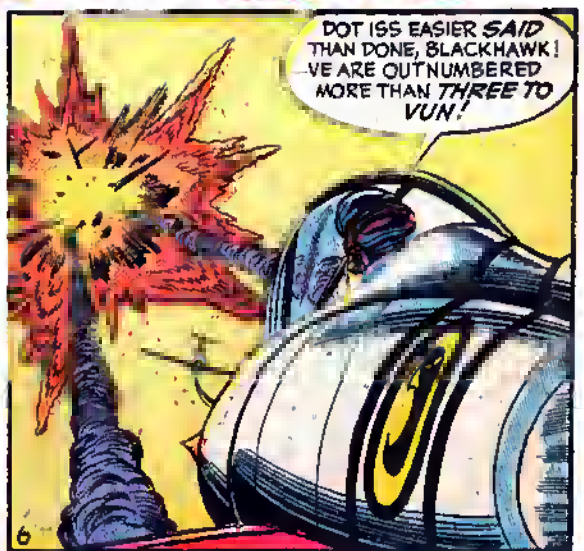
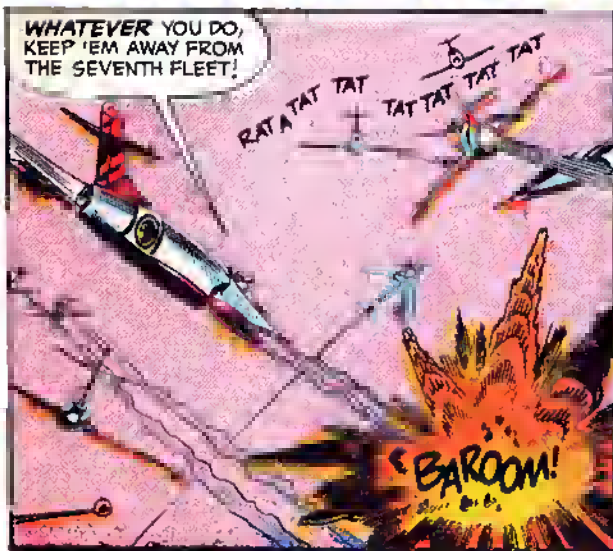
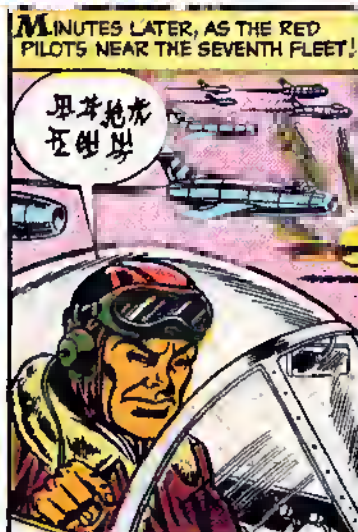




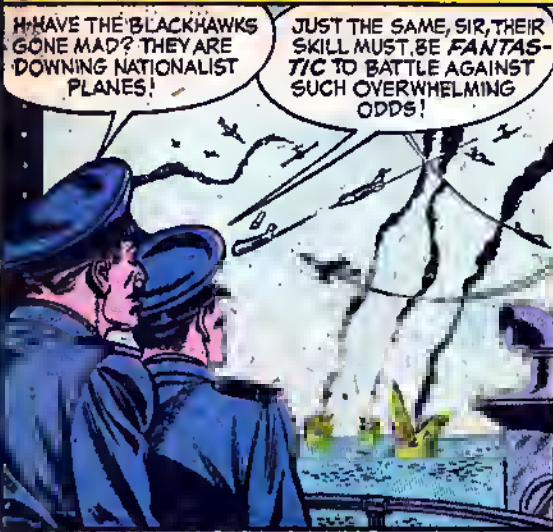




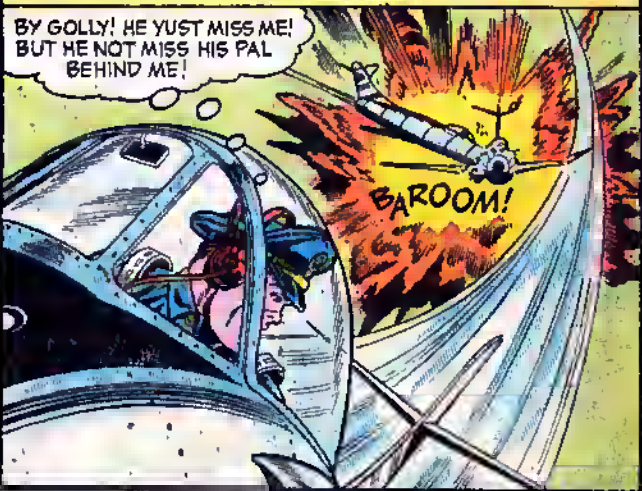




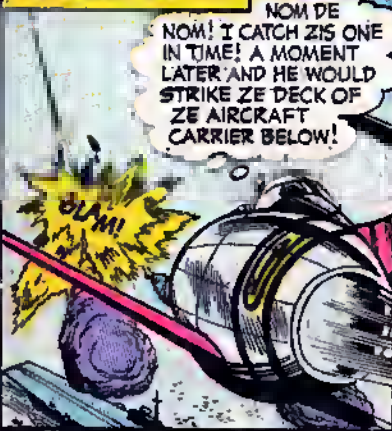
MEANWHILE, ABOARD THE FLEET'S FLAGSHIP...



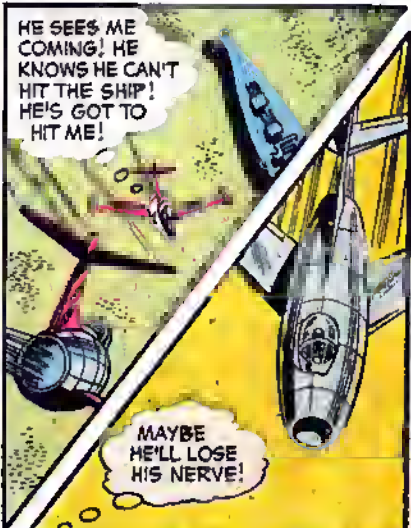
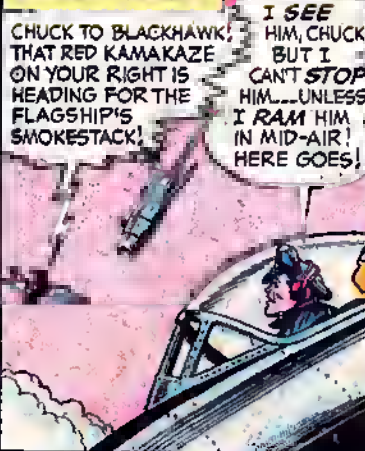
IT DOES TAKE FANTASTIC SKILL TO FRUSTRATE THE FANATICAL RED KAMAKAZE TACTICS! DESPERATE TO BREAK OUT OF THEIR TRAP, THE REDS TRY TO RAM THE BLACKHAWK JETS!



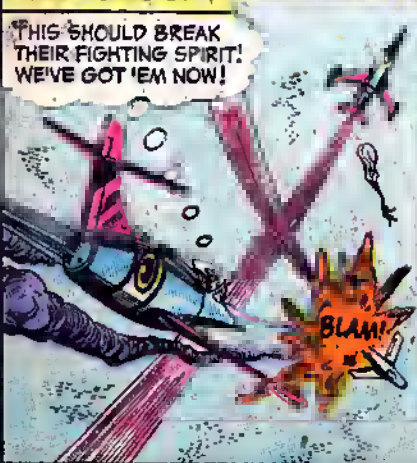
MIRACULOUSLY, THE BLACKHAWKS AVOID COLLISION AND CONTINUE TO DESTROY THE REDS WHO SEEK TO RAM THE VESSELS BELOW...



MINUTES LATER, AS THE RED KAMAKAZES GROW MORE FRENZIED IN THEIR ACTIONS...



FOILED IN HIS REAL OBJECTIVE, THE RED PILOT PULLS OUT OF HIS DIVE, ONLY TO RUN INTO...CHUCK'S ROCKETS! THE COMMIE BAILS OUT!



AN HOUR LATER, AT THE SECRET AIRDROME IN THE HILLS...



The HUMAN HOUND

AS the moon came out from behind the clouds, it sent dark shadows scudding along the deserted street. But one shadow, denser than the rest, moved swiftly. It was a man, running for his life. In the circle of light beneath a street lamp, he paused and listened.

There was the sound of boots racing on the pavement. The man shuddered. In the revealing light his ferret-like face twisted with fear. The fear that only a man hunted down by the Blackhawks can ever know.

He turned down an alleyway, running hard. His legs drove him onward into the enveloping darkness.

Suddenly he plunged forward onto his face. "Mon Dieu," said a voice. "You should watch where you go, mon ami. I believe you tripped over my foot."

In the darkness the second man loomed, a man wearing a tailored blue uniform, visored cap, and the dread symbol of The Blackhawks.

"Permit me to introduce myself," he said. "My name is Andre."

The other made a wild sound in his throat; he was too frightened for speech.

"And you are Ellery Vallard," Andre continued in silky tones, "sometimes known as Ellery the Rodent. One must admit, mon frere, that you are aptly named."

Still the other man did not speak. His tortured eyes watched Andre as though expecting a blow. He cringed in every atom of his being.

Now the other Blackhawks arrived: Chuck, and Stanislaus, Hendrickson and Olaf. Then the mighty Blackhawk himself. Ellery looked from one to the other of the implacable faces.

"I'll tell," he gasped. "I'll tell everything. We were smuggled into the city by motorboat. When we found you were pursuing us, Mordred suggested we split up. I took the satchel. But he took the bomb."

"We found the empty satchel," Blackhawk replied. "Now tell us where we can find Mordred—and the bomb. Surely you arranged to meet him somewhere."

Ellery nodded. "At the city zoo. He's to plant the bomb there. It has a timing device that

will explode it in an hour. By then Mordred and I figured to be safely out of range."

"Close figuring," said Blackhawk. "An atom bomb of that power can lay waste a large area. Your masters must have paid you well for such a risk. Take care of him—Chuck, Hendrickson. I'm going after Mordred before he sets off that infernal bomb."

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Except for the sibilant whisper of the reptiles, the snake pit at the zoo was silent. The air was oppressing. Abruptly a flashlight cut across the dimness.

Mordred stood up, blinking in its glare.

"So you've found me," he said. "Go ahead and shoot, Blackhawk. But you'll never find the bomb. It's too well hidden. So we'll all die together!"

"Perhaps," said Blackhawk. "But shooting is too easy for you!"

Blackhawk reached out and unlatched the covers of the long boxes ranged at the side wall of the snake building. Mordred watched with horrid fascination as the sibilant humming increased, and the snakes slithered out onto the glass floor at their feet.

"You never were a very brave man, Mordred. Can you face this?"

On the glass floor beneath the cages a green mamba writhed sinuously. Suddenly Mordred began to whimper. It was a piteous sound—the syllables of abject fear. He pointed with a shaking hand to a corner of the snake pit.

"Over there?" said Blackhawk. "So that's where you've hidden the bomb. Go get it, fellows—and make sure you pull out the fuse."

Later, as Mordred and Vallard were turned over to the FBI, the chief asked one question.

"How did you know," he asked, "that those snakes you freed wouldn't kill Mordred, yourself, and all your friends? You took a long chance."

Blackhawk smiled. "Not at all," he said. "What Mordred didn't know is that snakes can't move on glass. That's why the floor beneath is made of glass. The poor serpents were completely helpless—except for catching human reptiles."

BLACKHAWK

BLACKHAWK

IT LOOKED LIKE CURTAINS...THE FINAL CURTAIN... FOR THE BLACKHAWKS! FROM HIDDEN HOLES UNDER ALL THE DUNES RUSHED GRIM, BEARDED MEN IN TURBANS AND CLOAKS! THEY WERE THE OUTLAW ARMY OF SIDI SAVARR, THE BRUTAL LEADER OF MOROCCO'S WORST BAND OF RAIDERS! SIDI SAVARR HAD SWORN TO DESTROY HIS ARCH-ENEMIES, THE BLACKHAWKS! NOW HE HAD CONSTRUCTED A CUNNING TRAP FOR THEM FROM WHICH THERE WAS NO ESCAPE... FOR HE WAS...

The Master of Treachery

ZEY HAVE CUT US OFF FROM OUR PLANES, BLACKHAWK! IF WE COULD BUT REACH ZEM...

ACH! BUT VE CANNOT, ANDRE! DERE ARE TOO MANY OF DEM! DERE IS NO ESCAPE! VE ARE KAPUT!



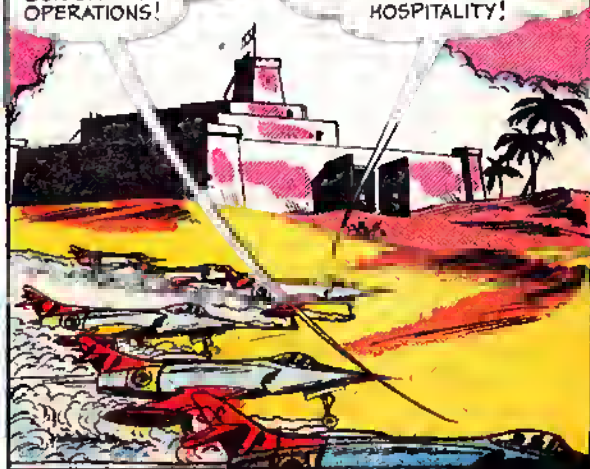
AT FORT CALIPHE, A PAIR OF EYES GAZE SKYWARD AT SIX JETS WINGING THEIR WAY OVER THE TRACKLESS DESERT...

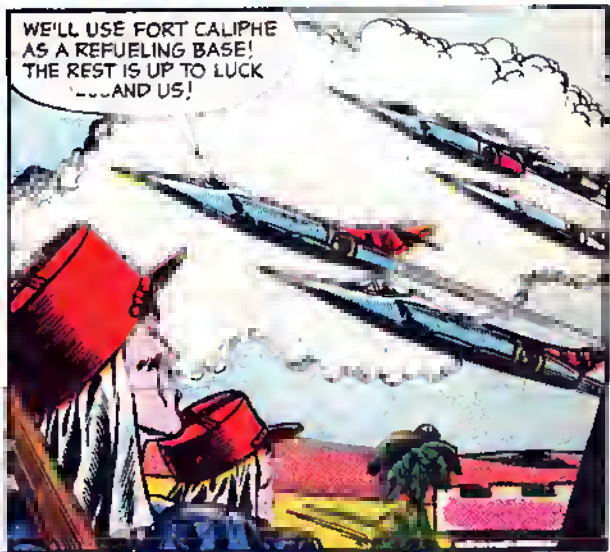
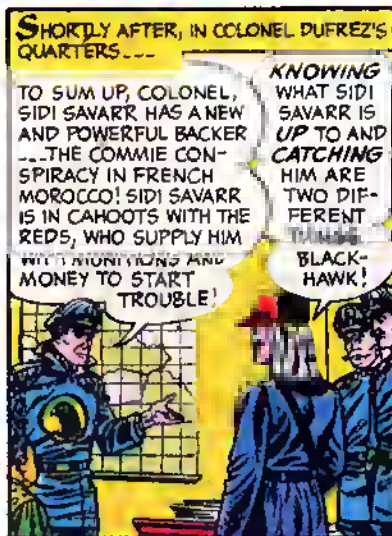
SACRE! IT IS THE BLACKHAWKS! WHAT ARE THEY DOING HERE?

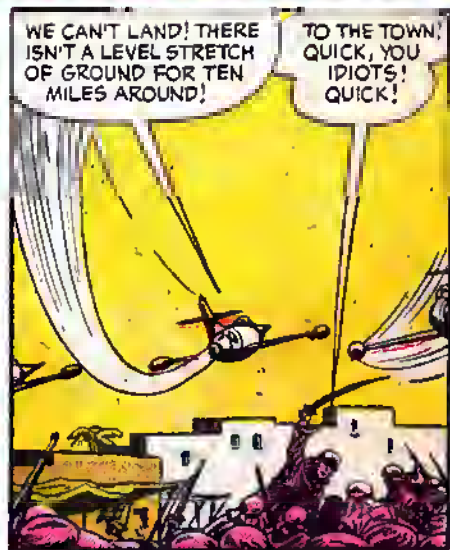
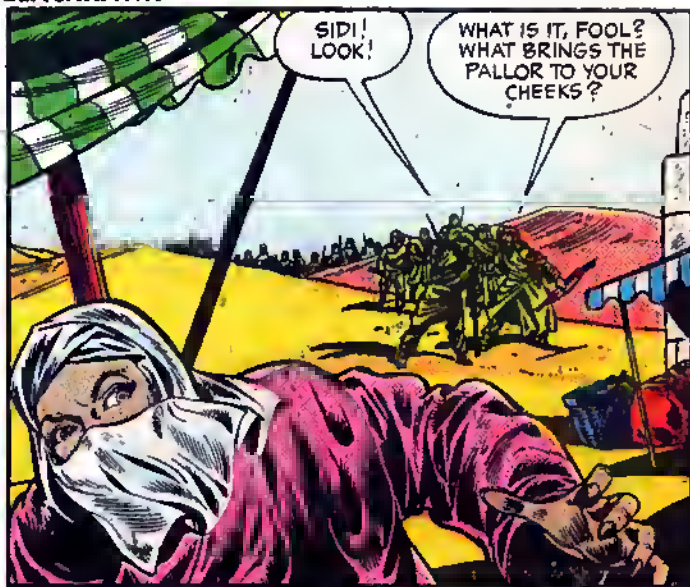
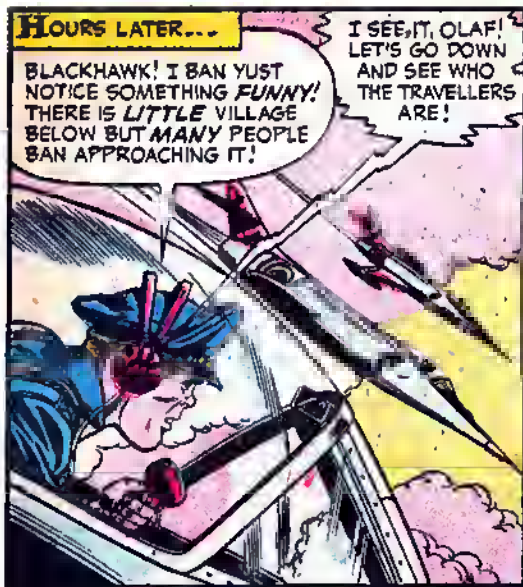


THERE'S FORT CALIPHE, MEN! WE'LL USE IT AS OUR BASE OF OPERATIONS!

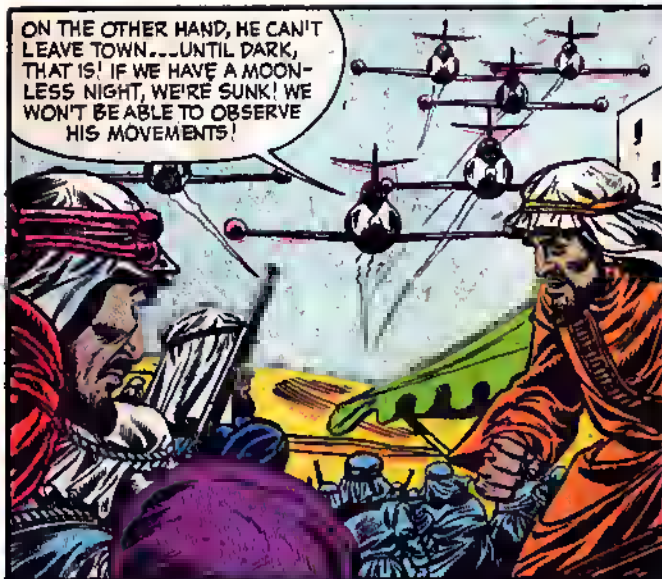
COLONEL DUFREZ IS AN OLD FRIEND OF MINE, BLACKHAWK! HE WILL EXTEND TO US EVERY HOSPITALITY!



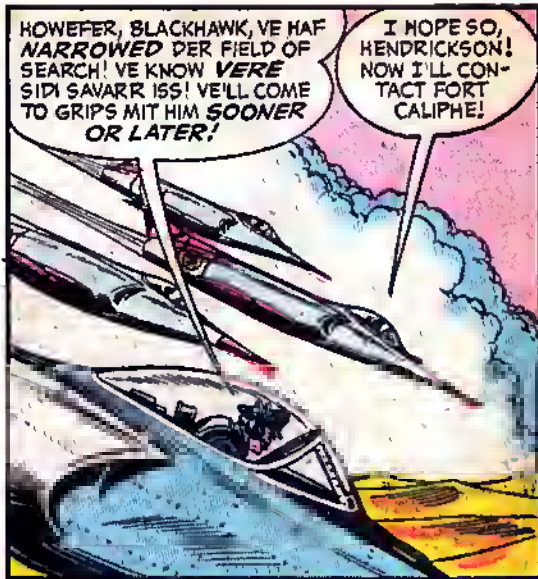




BLACKHAWK



ON THE OTHER HAND, HE CAN'T LEAVE TOWN...UNTIL DARK, THAT IS! IF WE HAVE A MOONLESS NIGHT, WE'RE SUNK! WE WON'T BE ABLE TO OBSERVE HIS MOVEMENTS!



HOWEVER, BLACKHAWK, WE HAV NARROWED DER FIELD OF SEARCH! VE KNOW VERE SIDI SAVARR ISS! VE'LL COME TO GRIPS MIT HIM SOONER OR LATER!

I HOPE SO, HENDRICKSON! NOW I'LL CONTACT FORT CALIPHE!



GOOD WORK, BLACKHAWK! I'LL SEND A RELIEF FORCE TO THE VILLAGE AT ONCE!

WE WANT CONSTANT SURVEILLANCE, DUFREZ! SO WE'RE GOING TO PATROL THE VILLAGE IN SHIFTS! EXPECT OLAF AND CHUCK BACK IN TEN MINUTES FOR REFUELING!



HOURS LATER, AS DARKNESS FALLS ON THE DESERT...

WE'RE IN FOR IT, MEN! IT'S A MOONLESS NIGHT! SIDI SAVARR IS SHREWD ENOUGH TO KNOW THAT IF HE SITS TIGHT, THE LEGIONNAIRES FROM FORT CALIPHE WILL SHOW UP!



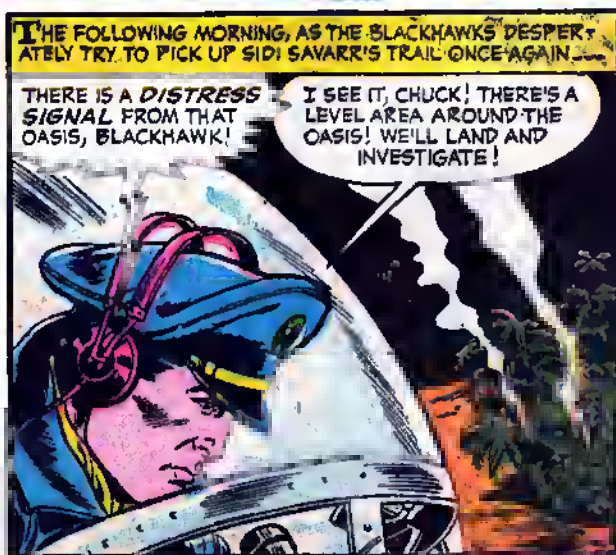
THAT NIGHT, IN THE BLACKED-OUT VILLAGE...

QUICK, FOOLS! EVERY MINUTE OF DARKNESS IS PRECIOUS TO US! WE WANT TO BE FAR AWAY FROM HERE BY DAYLIGHT!



WE CAN NEVER REALLY ESCAPE, SIDI, AS LONG AS THOSE JETS COMB THE DESERT FOR US!

I KNOW! WE'LL TAKE CARE OF THE BLACKHAWKS, NEVER FEAR!



THE FOLLOWING MORNING, AS THE BLACKHAWKS DESPERATELY TRY TO PICK UP SIDI SAVARR'S TRAIL, ONCE AGAIN...

THERE IS A DISTRESS SIGNAL FROM THAT OASIS, BLACKHAWK!

I SEE IT, CHUCK! THERE'S A LEVEL AREA AROUND THE OASIS! WE'LL LAND AND INVESTIGATE!

THE DISTRESS SIGNAL
CAME FROM THE RUINS IN
THE CENTER OF THE OASIS!
SIDI SAVARR MIGHT HAVE
PASSED THIS WAY!



BUT FROM WHOM CAME
ZE SIGNAL? ZERE IS NO
SIGN OF HABITATION,
BLACKHAWK!



YOU'RE WRONG,
ANDRE! LOOK
WHAT'S COMING!

THEY HAVE WALKED
INTO OUR TRAP, JUST
AS SIDI SAVARR
INTENDED! DESTROY
THEM!



ZEY ARE FOOLS
TO RUSH US ZIS WAY!
IF ZEY ONLY ATTACK
US ONE WAVE AT
ZE TIME, ZEY WILL
NEVER OVERPOWER
US!

DONNERWETTER!
VE MUST OVER-
POWER DEM OR
VE ARE KAPUT!



I BAN GIVE THIS GUY A
FREE MERRY GO-AROUND
RIDE!



CHOP CHOP, GATHER
UP THEIR ARMS! WE
MIGHT NEED 'EM!

CHOP CHOP
HAPPY TO OBLIGE!



MINUTES LATER, AS THE BLACKHAWKS BEAT OFF THE FIRST
RUSH OF THE ENEMY AND RETREAT TO THE ANCIENT, DESERTED
VILLAGE...

VOT
NOW, BLACKHAWK?
DEY HAF US CUT
OFF FROM DER
CHETS!

WE'LL NEVER SEE
THOSE JETS AGAIN
UNLESS WE BEAT OFF
THEIR NEXT WAVE!
HERE IT COMES!



FOR AN HOUR, AMID THE TUMBLEDOWN RUINS, THE BLACK-HAWKS FIGHT OFF WAVE AFTER WAVE OF ATTACKERS...



WE HAF ONE ALLY, BLACKHAWK! DERE COWARDICE!

YES, HENDRICKSON! BUT *THEY* HAVE ONE ALLY, TOO!

THE *SUN'S* GOING DOWN! THAT'S PROBABLY WHY SIDI SAVARR IS ORDERING HIS JACKALS TO *RETREAT!* THEY CAN EASILY OVERWHELM US IN THE PARK!



ACH! I FORGOT! VE VON'T BE ABLE TO SEE OUR *OWN* SHADOWS AGAIN TONIGHT!



BUT NEITHER WILL THEY, HENDRICKSON! HMMM... THESE INSCRIPTIONS ARE MOST INTERESTING! STANISLAUS, YOU SAVVY DESERT WRITING! CAN YOU MAKE OUT THESE HALF-BLOTTED WORDS?

I WILL TRY, BLACK-HAWK!



ZIS IS *SOME* TIME TO INSPECT HIEROGLYPHICS! ZEY HAVE US CUT OFF FROM OUR PLANES, I WONDER IF WE COULD BUT REACH ZE PLANES!

JAWOHL, ANDRE! VE COULD TAKE TO DER AIR UND FIGHT DEM TO A STANDSTILL! BUT DEY ARE A *STEEL*

HELL BETWEEN US UND DER PLANES!



YOU BOTH BAN WASTE YOUR BREATH! ALL AY BAN WANT IS FOR THEM TO *COME!* AY DIE FIGHTING, AY BET YOU!

QUIET, OLAF! LISTEN TO WHAT STANISLAUS HAS LEARNED FROM THESE INSCRIPTIONS!



IT IS INFORMATION ABOUT HOW THE PEOPLE OF THIS VILLAGE LEFT, LONG AGO! DESERT RAIDERS KEPT ATTACKING THEM TO GET THIS OASIS AND THE FOUNTAIN OF WATER! SO THEY LEFT, FIRST BLOCKING UP THE FOUNTAIN, RIGHT AT THIS POINT!

AND HERE IT IS RIGHT BELOW THE SAND!



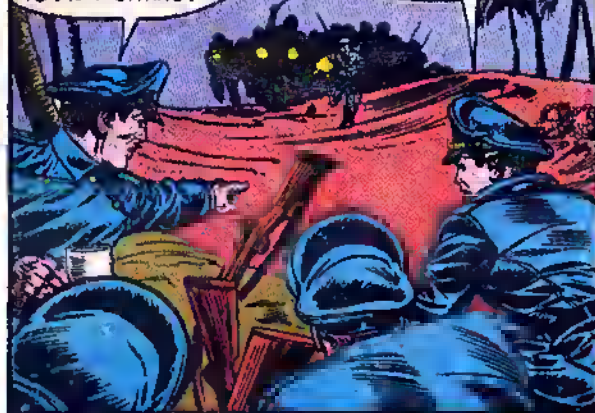
CHOP CHOP, BRING UP THOSE RIFLES! WE'LL THRUST THE BAYONETS INTO THE CHINKS BETWEEN THE PLASTERED ROCKS! STAND TO THE RIGHT AND LEFT WHEN THEY CHARGE AND WAIT TILL I GIVE THE ORDER!

BY YIMINY! I HOPE YOU BAN KNOW WHAT YOU'RE DOING, BLACKHAWK!

HOURS LATER, AS UTTER DARKNESS DESCENDS ON THE OASIS!

ATTEND! ZE RAIDERS FORM FOR ZE FINAL CHARGE! ENFIN, MES AMIS, PREPARE TO DIE FIGHTING!

NO, ANDRE! DO AS I SAY... ALL OF YOU! PRY THOSE ROCKS APART WITH YOUR BAYONETS!



THE STRONG ARMS OF THE BLACKHAWKS EXERT THEMSELVES! THE MORTAR FASTENINGS GIVE AND CRUMBLE! THE LONG IMPRISONED FOUNTAIN GUSHES FORTH!

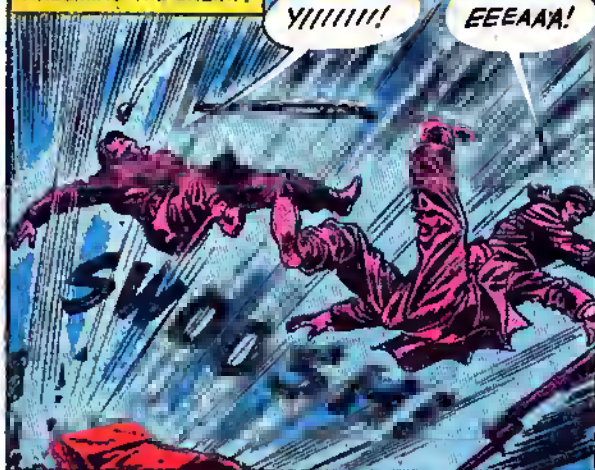
PENT UP FOR YEARS, IT'S FORCE IS LIKE A FLOOD TORRENT! GET OUT OF THIS WAY, MEN! GET BEHIND THE WALL!



THE WATER SHOOTS OUT LIKE THE STREAMS FROM A DOZEN ENORMOUS FIREHOSES, DRENCHING AND OVERWHELMING THE ENEMY!

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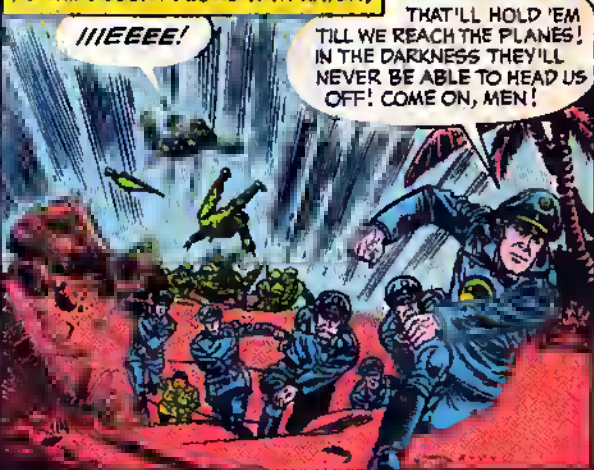
EEEEAAA!



SIDI SAVARR AND HIS PICKED FIGHTERS ARE PUSHED BACK ON THOSE BEHIND THEM! THE AIR IS SPLUT WITH SCREAMS AS THE DESERT FLOWS WITH WATER!

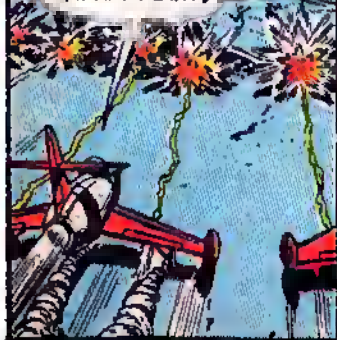
IIIEEEE!

THAT'LL HOLD 'EM TILL WE REACH THE PLANES! IN THE DARKNESS THEY'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO HEAD US OFF! COME ON, MEN!



MOMENTS LATER...

THE SAND IS FLAT AROUND THE OASIS! TAXI THE JETS TO SIX DIFFERENT POINTS SURROUNDING IT! THEN WARN 'EM WITH A FEW ROCKET BURSTS! THEY WON'T DARE LEAVE THE OASIS AT ANY POINT!



MINUTES LATER, AS THE BANDITS LEARN THAT THEY HAVE NOWHERE TO FLEE...

THAT'S IT, MEN! KEEP A RING OF STEEL AROUND SIDI SAVARR! WHEN DAYLIGHT COMES, COLONEL DUFREZ WILL BE HERE! THIS TIME THERE'LL BE NO ESCAPE... FOR SIDI SAVARR!



AT NOON, THE NEXT DAY...

FRANCE IS IN YOUR DEBT, BLACKHAWK! SIDI SAVARR WAS THE SCOURGE OF MOROCCO!

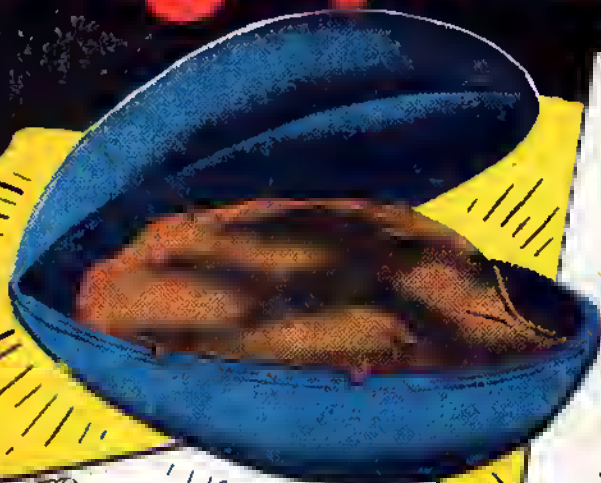
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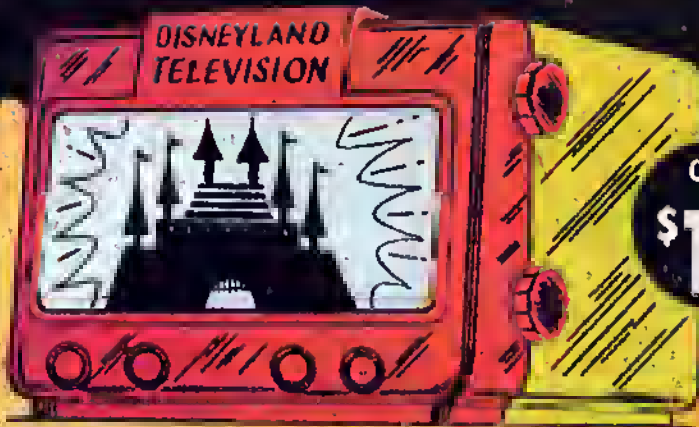
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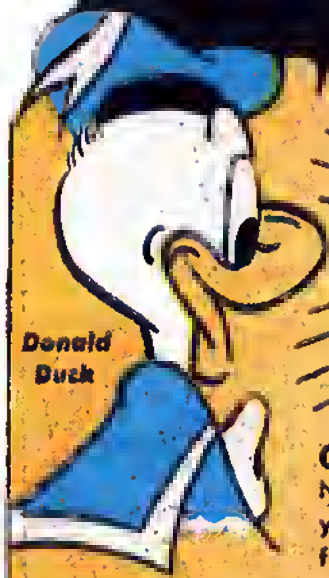
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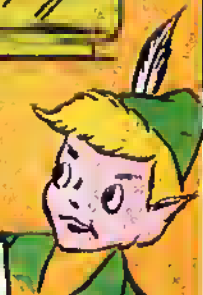
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